



Commonwealth of Massachusetts
OFFICE OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE
Board of State Examiners of Plumbers and Gasfitters
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SPG # _____

FEE _____

SPECIAL PERMISSION GAS REQUEST APPLICATION FORM

1) TYPE OF REQUEST { See General Note 3. }

CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX / BOXES

Booster ☐ Cogeneration ☐ Elevated ☐ Kiln ☐ Equipment over 12,500,000 BTU ☐ Water Tube Boiler over 10,000 lbs. steam/hr ☐

2) INSTALLATION LOCATION INFORMATION

COMPANY NAME:

TEL

FAX

ADDRESS:

CITY/TOWN

3) SERVING GAS SUPPLIER INFORMATION (Attach Serving Gas Supplier letter to the application)

NATURAL GAS SUPPLIER COMPANY NAME:

PROPANE GAS SUPPLIER COMPANY NAME:

4) MA REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER DESIGN INFORMATION

NAME/TITLE/FIRM

LICENSE #

ADDRESS:

CITY

STATE

ZIP:

TEL

FAX

EMAIL

NEW GAS LOAD

cfh

EXISTING GAS LOAD

cfh

TOTAL COMBINED LOAD

cfh

A copy of this application, and all documentation was sent to the Plumbing/Gas Inspector on

SEAL OF MASSACHUSETTS RPE

SIGNATURE AND SEAL REQUIRED

In requiring special permission for the installation of certain gas fitting applications, the Board is, seeking to verify a Massachusetts registered professional engineer, as indicated by affixing his or her seal and signature to the application, used due diligence to ensure the gas system design and installation will work safely and effectively. In addition, that the system installed complies with Massachusetts General Law chapter 142, 248 CMR, and all other applicable codes and standards. The Board relies solely on, the representations of the engineer for compliance with these requirements and does not warrant any installation or design or otherwise perform an independent review to verify the engineer's representations

THIS GAS PIPING SYSTEM DESIGN IS BASED ON THE VOLUME, PRESSURE AND PROPOSED LOAD STATED IN THE GAS LETTER ☐

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SPECIAL PERMISSION GRANTED ON _____, 20____ by _____

ATTENTION: PLEASE DO NOT RETURN THE NOTES WITH THE SPECIAL PERMISSION APPLICATION

GENERAL NOTES

1. \$86.00 Application Fee: Make check payable to the **Commonwealth of Massachusetts**.
2. In some cases two or more boxes may be selected in Part (1) [i.e. A booster delivering elevated pressure. In this instance only, one \$86.00 fee is required.
3. A letter from the serving gas supplier shall accompany all SPG applications.
4. Incomplete applications **will not be acted upon**.
5. Plans bearing the seal of a MA registered professional engineer shall accompany all SPG applications and shall depict:
 - a) The proposed location of the piping, the pipe sizes for the main and branches.
 - b) The various gas load demands.
 - c) The existing and proposed gas pressure
 - d) The equivalent length of piping from the point of delivery to the connection to the most remote appliance.
 - e) The main service line gas meter location.
 - f) Provide a detail list of the gas utilization equipment, manufacturer, type of equipment, model number, equipment BTU input rating and the Boards product approval code number. (If not shown on plan, attach to the application.)

EQUIPMENT / SYSTEMS REQUIRING SPECIAL PERMISSION

DUAL FUEL

Note: Do not use this application for dual fuel. Use the Special Permission Gas Dual Fuel Application Form.

GAS PRESSURE BOOSTER

NOTE: If the Booster delivers gas pressure in excess of ½ pound or in excess of 14 inches water column, in box 1 check both the Booster and Elevated boxes.

1. Refer to 248 CMR modification section 5.00 regarding the installation of consumer-owner gas pressure boosters.

GAS COGENERATION FACILITY

1. Refer to 248 CMR, NFPA 54, NFPA 58

ELEVATED PRESSURE GREATER THAN ½ P.S.I.G. or 14" WATER COLUMN

1. Refer to 248 CMR modification section 5.00 regarding the installation of gas piping systems requiring elevated pressure
2. Refer to 248 CMR modification section 5.00 regarding gas pipe labeling requirements

KILN

1. Gas piping systems for gas kilns require special-permission from the Board prior to the installation.

GAS UTILIZATION EQUIPMENT WITH A COMBINED CAPACITY OF MORE THE 12,500,000 BTU/HR.

1. Refer to 248 CMR section 7.00 and NFPA 85, NFPA 86.

WATER TUBE BOILERS HAVING OUTPUTS OF 10,000 POUNDS STEAM PER HOUR.

1. Refer to 248 CMR section 7.00 and NFPA 85